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Examiner: Sheridan K. Snedden

Group Art Unit: 1653

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PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed March 12, 2004 in the above-referenced application. With this three-month extension, Applicant's response is due on July 12, 2004, and an Amendment and Response is being filed concurrently with this extension.

A check in the amount of \$475.00 is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any excess portion of this fee to McAndrews, Held & Malloy, Ltd. Deposit Account No. 13-0017.

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Respectfully submitted,

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